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FISCAL IMPACT STATEMENT

LS 7368 DATE PREPARED: Apr 10, 2001 **BILL NUMBER:** SB 204 **BILL AMENDED:** Apr 9, 2001

SUBJECT: Release of FERPA Information.

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FUNDS AFFECTED: GENERAL IMPACT: Local

DEDICATED FEDERAL

Summary of Legislation: This bill has the following provisions:

(A) It provides that a school principal's performance evaluation may not be based wholly on ISTEP scores of students in the principal's school, but the scores may be used as one factor in the evaluation.

(B) It also authorizes a school corporation or other entity to which the federal Family Educational Rights and Privacy Act (FERPA) applies to release education records to a juvenile justice agency.

Effective Date: (Amended) Upon passage; July 1, 2001.

Explanation of State Expenditures:

Explanation of State Revenues:

Explanation of Local Expenditures: Provision B would require minimal administrative activities to release the education records to juvenile justice agencies.

Explanation of Local Revenues:

State Agencies Affected:

Local Agencies Affected: School corporations, juvenile justice agencies.

Information Sources:

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